

PROSPECT CROSSING.

June 2, 1913.

Price Whitacre and wife, of Lynchburg, visited the latter's mother, Mrs. Mary Creed, Saturday and Sunday.

Ruth Hetherington, of Hillsboro, was the guest of his cousin, Frank Ashmore, Saturday night and Sunday.

J. H. Storer and wife visited Joshua Gall and family, of Marshall, Tuesday.

H. N. Kelly and family, Frank Kelly and wife and Mrs. Cora McConaughy and son, Homer took dinner with Elizabeth Kelly, Sunday.

George Barnes and wife, of Hillsboro, visited J. H. Storer and family, Friday.

Chas. Ashmore, wife and son, Paul, visited Don Main and family, of Marshall, Tuesday.

Geo. Ballentine, wife and daughter, of Hillsboro, visited Mrs. Martha Eakins, Sunday.

Roy Ellison, of Columbus, visited his parents over Sunday.

J. H. Storer and wife visited the former's parents, S. M. Storer, of near Hillsboro, Saturday.

A. J. Ballentine had two valuable cows killed by lightning, Sunday afternoon.

NORTH UNION.

June 2, 1913.

Jack Butler and sister, Nelle, and Mrs. G. H. Williams and son, Bellamy, were shopping in Hillsboro, Saturday. James Satterfield and family and Master Robert Satterfield, of Hillsboro, were the guests of W. L. Turner and wife, Sunday.

John Kesler and wife and W. E. Hammond and family were entertained Sunday by Curtis Suiters and wife.

Mrs. Fillmore Eubanks, of Springfield, and H. M. Eubanks and family, spent Sunday with Jack Butler and family.

Mrs. Kate Turner called on Mrs. Mary Gall, Saturday afternoon.

T. M. Frump and son, Ernest, spent Sunday night and Monday with J. E. Spence and family, of New Petersburg.

Miss Lydia Holt was the guest of her brother, Sherman, from Friday till Sunday.

Henry Arrsmith and wife, of near Flat Run, were the guests of their daughter, Mrs. Joe Shaw and family, Saturday night and Sunday.

Miss Genevieve Post was entertained Sunday by Miss Edith Countryman.

Carl Williams spent Saturday night and Sunday with his parents, G. H. Williams and wife.

Bert Gall was transacting business in Hillsboro, Monday.

Mrs. Hattie Shaw called Sunday afternoon on Mrs. Bub Countryman who is quite sick.

DANVILLE.

June 2, 1913.

Nathaniel Roush and wife and Dallas Parshall and wife were visitors of Wm. Stockwell and wife Sunday.

Geo. Leighmore and wife are spending a few days with their daughter, Mrs. Clarence Vance, in Sardinia.

Noah Roush and son, Wesley, of near Fayetteville, spent Thursday with the former's brother, John Roush, and family.

Mrs. Geo. Brown spent last week with relatives in Hillsboro.

L. C. Stockwell and wife visited Ira Redkey and family at Dodsonville Sunday.

P. C. Vanzant and wife and little daughter, Vivian, of Dayton, and O. A. Landess and wife and daughter, Mildred, of Hillsboro, were guests of Geo. Vanzant and wife Saturday and Sunday. Mr. Vanzant is seriously ill with heart trouble.

Richard Brown and family visited relatives at Buford Friday and Saturday.

Maack Groves and family, of Boston, Carl Hixson and wife and two children, of Shackleton, and Edward Hopkins and family were visitors of Daniel Henderson and family Sunday.

Mrs. Bessie Roush, of Dodsonville, visited friends here last week.

Newton Roebuck and wife, of near Pricetown, were guests of Geo. Mann and family Sunday.

Misses Genevieve and Vida King visited relatives at East Danville part of last week.

N. P. Landess and wife spent Friday with Geo. Tedrick and wife at Pricetown and attended Memorial services.

FOLSOM.

June 2, 1913.

Children Service at Union Chapel, on June 8, at 2:30 p. m. Come and enjoy the afternoon.

W. T. Shannon and wife spent Friday night with their son, J. Ed. and family, of Hillsboro, and attended the commencement.

Childrens Day will be observed here in the near future. Further notice will be given later.

I. W. Beets and wife were guests of J. L. Walker and family, of Cedar Crest, last Sunday.

SMALL INCREASE

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LEESBURG.		
Horses.....	57	\$ 5,440
Cattle.....	12	525
Mules.....	2	200
Hogs.....	8	105
Mdse.....		21,000
Dogs.....	9	
Total \$102,070. Decrease \$13,840.		
WEST FAIRFIELD.		
Horses.....	304	\$ 29,105
Cattle.....	520	21,445
Mules.....	6	750
Sheep.....	529	2,660
Hogs.....	1,188	10,680
Dogs.....	28	
Total \$136,830. Increase \$9,160.		
HIGHLAND.		
Horses.....	25	\$ 2,155
Cattle.....	11	470
Mules.....	6	630
Hogs.....	13	200
Dogs.....	4	
Mdse.....		13,950
Total \$32,185. Decrease \$7,895.		
HAMER.		
Horses.....	459	\$ 34,510
Cattle.....	773	20,305
Mules.....	5	195
Sheep.....	841	3,175
Hogs.....	1,457	11,280
Dogs.....	142	
Total \$119,795. Decrease \$5,300.		
JACKSON.		
Horses.....	232	\$ 22,185
Cattle.....	582	14,065
Mules.....	8	700
Sheep.....	507	1,421
Hogs.....	945	7,590
Dogs.....	77	
Total \$105,385. Increase \$1,775.		
NORTH LIBERTY.		
Horses.....	584	\$ 65,115
Cattle.....	1,129	42,200
Mules.....	19	1,900
Sheep.....	1,363	7,655
Hogs.....	2,606	28,245
Dogs.....	131	
Total \$227,960. Increase \$8,630.		
SOUTH LIBERTY.		
Horses.....	417	\$ 36,075
Cattle.....	751	25,085
Mules.....	32	3,975
Sheep.....	1,194	15,313
Hogs.....	1,694	15,313
Dogs.....	70	
Total \$180,585. Increase \$15,035.		
NORTH HILLSBORO.		
Horses.....	152	\$ 11,485
Cattle.....	97	3,710
Mules.....	5	530
Sheep.....	2	10
Hogs.....	33	435
Mdse.....		79,825
Total \$337,390. Increase \$5,220.		
SOUTH HILLSBORO.		
Horses.....	153	\$ 14,230
Cattle.....	69	2,425
Mules.....	4	275
Sheep.....	4	20
Hogs.....	43	420
Mdse.....		83,980
Dogs.....	64	
Total \$352,060. Decrease \$10,570.		
NORTH MADISON.		
Horses.....	688	\$ 43,530
Cattle.....	762	30,265
Mules.....	22	2,600
Sheep.....	546	2,385
Hogs.....	1,313	12,435
Dogs.....	45	
Total \$144,820. Decrease \$16,320.		
SOUTH MADISON.		
Horses.....	402	\$ 45,400
Cattle.....	721	24,850
Mules.....	31	3,670
Sheep.....	1,018	5,220
Hogs.....	1,863	18,895
Dogs.....	71	
Total \$186,030. Increase \$14,559.		
NORTH GREENFIELD.		
Horses.....	66	\$ 6,525
Cattle.....	8	310
Mules.....	8	850
Hogs.....	4	70
Mdse.....		64,175
Dogs.....	9	
Total \$139,345. Decrease \$13,965.		
SOUTH GREENFIELD.		
Horses.....	136	\$ 12,235
Cattle.....	60	1,275
Mules.....	4	40
Mdse.....		67,235
Dogs.....	64	
Total \$269,680. Increase \$10,425.		
MARSHALL.		
Horses.....	356	\$ 39,635
Cattle.....	887	27,405
Mules.....	9	1,090
Sheep.....	846	3,435
Hogs.....	1,959	14,785
Dogs.....	109	
Total \$144,485. Increase \$12,835.		
NEW MARKET.		
Horses.....	509	\$ 46,185
Cattle.....	781	24,525
Mules.....	5	675
Sheep.....	1,107	4,480
Hogs.....	1,514	11,590
Dogs.....	141	
Total \$139,210. Increase \$6,265.		
NORTH PAINT.		
Horses.....	356	\$ 31,900
Cattle.....	837	22,050
Mules.....	47	3,920
Sheep.....	1,361	4,155
Hogs.....	2,471	15,225
Dogs.....	63	
Total \$163,140. Increase \$32,390.		
SOUTH PAINT.		
Horses.....	525	\$ 49,900

Cattle.....	1272	46,075
Mules.....	51	5,495
Sheep.....	865	2,565
Hogs.....	2,501	23,290
Dogs.....	122	
Total \$233,625. Increase \$20,300.		

PENN.		
Horses.....	796	\$ 79,680
Cattle.....	1,273	41,515
Mules.....	40	4,540
Sheep.....	1,963	7,960
Hogs.....	2,734	25,390
Dogs.....	134	
Total \$360,210. Decrease \$20,860.		

SALEM.		
Horses.....	414	\$ 36,960
Cattle.....	490	12,655
Mules.....	41	4,275
Sheep.....	747	2,440
Hogs.....	1,703	11,045
Dogs.....	112	
Total \$107,400. Decrease \$620.		

UNION.		
Horses.....	423	\$ 46,940
Cattle.....	647	19,435
Mules.....	9	980
Sheep.....	674	2,170
Hogs.....	1,442	12,500
Dogs.....	108	
Total \$120,090. Decrease \$11,210.		

RUSSELL SPECIAL SCHOOL.		
Horses.....	110	\$ 9,735
Cattle.....	211	5,995
Mules.....	6	525
Sheep.....	143	385
Hogs.....	448	3,350
Dogs.....	35	
Total \$65,010. Increase \$6,110.		

WASHINGTON.		
Horses.....	228	\$ 19,780
Cattle.....	628	16,185
Mules.....	6	400
Sheep.....	612	2,096
Hogs.....	1,375	9,965
Dogs.....	122	
Total \$74,065. Increase \$10,455.		

WHITEOAK.		
Horses.....	438	\$ 36,975
Cattle.....	1,060	25,545
Mules.....	60	5,075
Sheep.....	1,390	5,170
Hogs.....	2,723	17,210
Dogs.....	116	
Total \$147,500. Increase \$12,400.		

MOWRYSTOWN.		
Horses.....	25	\$ 2,095
Cattle.....	15	410
Hogs.....	16	135
Mdse.....		18,450
Dogs.....	9	
Total \$44,080. Increase \$1,855.		

SINKING SPRING.

June 2, 1913.

Wm. Patton, of St. Joseph, Mo., is visiting relatives, here.

Decoration services at the M. E. church were well attended.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Barkley Butler recently, a son.

Mrs. Essa Johnson, of Portsmouth, spent Decoration Day at this place.

Eva Porter has returned to Springfield, after spending a week with home folks.

Mrs. Lon Rhoads, of Latham, has been visiting relative here the past week.

Bessie Porter is visiting at Xenia and Springfield.

Miss Minnie Nace, of Hillsboro, spent Friday with relatives, here.

Roy Hiltbrand and Ernest Tolle were the guests of Walter Rhoads and family, at Bainbridge, Saturday.

Jos. Hite, of Greenfield, is the guest of relatives, here.

Miss Odie Washburn has returned to her home at Carmel.

John Covan and family contemplate moving to New Vienna.

An ice cream social will be held at the Olive Branch church, Saturday night, June 7. All are invited.

Mrs. Thille Swishelm, of Portsmouth, spent Decoration Day with relative, here.

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Tin ore purchases by Great Britain amounted to \$2,490,000 during January and February, compared with \$1,645,000 in the same months last year.

A TERRIBLE SUSPENSE

By EDWARD L. BISSELL

How persons whose daily work carries with it the safety of the lives of other persons ever became accustomed to it I don't know. I have been one of them, and I couldn't do it, though I confess I had an experience that took away all my confidence. Those I refer to are engineers' pilots and the like. I was a druggist. I was obliged to put up prescriptions all day and often at night. Most of them were harmless, but in some were ingredients calculated if given in large enough doses to kill. We had a system about the poisons, but I defy any system ever invented to work every time. Sooner or later something will go wrong with it.

I was putting up a poison one day for vermin killing purposes. I had an engagement to meet my wife at a railway station at a certain hour to go to the country with our little boy, who was ill and who we feared was slowly dying. It is such situations as this that will break through systems and cause accidents. I had just so many minutes to reach my train and put up two prescriptions, the one a poison, the other harmless. My mind was preoccupied. If I should not reach the station in time my wife with our sick child would be in great distress. I was thinking of her while I was doing my work and delivering the packages to the two different persons, who were waiting for them. This done, I seized my hat and ran for the station.

I barely reached it in time, and, having put my family aboard the train, sat down beside them, mopped my brow and my mind settled back to what I had been doing before I left the store. A horrible suspicion came to me. I doubted if I had not given the poison to the wrong person. Another suspicion followed on the heels of the first. Had I not neglected to paste the label marked "Poison" on the bottle?

My first impulse was to jump off the train, though it was moving at a rate of fifty miles an hour. This, of course, I controlled. I must remain for no one knew how long in suspense. I had intended to stay a week with my wife in the country before leaving there, but I now resolved to return the next day. If the blow was to fall upon me I preferred that it should fall while I was at my post than when away. Besides, I hoped that work would help to relieve me of the burden on my mind.

Not being willing to give my wife an additional trouble, I refrained from confiding to her my horrible suspicion, but I told her that we were so busy at the store that I would be obliged to go back the next day. This in itself was a bitter disappointment to her, and when the time came for my departure my boy was so ill that I lost much of my worry on account of my suspected blunder in my worry about him.

Several days passed, and I heard nothing indicating that any one had taken poison, though I studied the newspapers regularly, seeking for what I feared to find. Then it occurred to me that the poison might have been taken, but the one who had swallowed it saved. The blunder might have been reported at the store; but, owing to my distressing situation, they might for a time withhold the facts.

A week passed. My boy was much better, and I returned to the city. On the way while scouring a newspaper as usual my eye fell on a heading, "Fatal Mistake of a Druggist." I could read no more. I covered my eyes with my hands and groaned. Thrice I tried to muster up courage to read my fate, but was unable to do so and at the end of my journey left the newspaper in the train. Time enough to know all that had happened when I go to the store.

When I went to the store there was no evidence of anything having happened. I didn't dare ask about the case of poisoning I had seen in the newspaper, for the druggist might not have been located, and there was no use in giving myself away. But I worried all the same.

The two customers to whom I had given the medicine were an old man and a young woman. The poison was intended for the man, the ordinary dose for the young woman. I believed I had given her the poison. Her features were firmly fixed on my mind, though I had never seen her before, she being not a regular but a casual customer. I did not suppose that she was getting the medicine for herself, for she was the picture of health.

One morning I heard the store door close, and, looking up, there was this woman coming straight for me. My imagination pictured her with an accusation of murder in her eye. My heart stopped beating. I stood waiting for the blow to fall. She stood before me on the other side of the counter. With an effort I controlled myself, though I am sure I was deadly pale.

"Did you sell me some medicine about two weeks ago?"

"Poison?" I gasped.

"Poison! No, medicine! I want you to give me some more of it—the same kind—I can't recall its name."

Oh, the happiness of that moment! The same afternoon I went to the country, and my little boy, quite restored, came running to meet me. Then I told my wife what a foolish worry I had been through.

BENJAMIN CHAPIN AS ABRAHAM LINCOLN

Lyceum Artist Dramatically Portrays Martyred President.

Those who pray continually for something "altogether different" will be answered when Benjamin Chapin gives his dramatic portrayal of Abraham Lincoln in this city.

So fortunate is Mr. Chapin in his Lincoln stature, realistic facial makeup, command of voice and histrionic talent, that he produces the illusion of making an audience feel that they have seen and heard Lincoln himself during the most important events of his life. The portrayal fastens the details of the resourceful and many-sided character into one's memory with greater exactness and fixedness than a year's research amid Lincoln bibliography. One sees the martyred president as he looked, as he talked, as he laughed over his stories, as he suffered and made history, and better than ever before one appreciates the tragedy of his end.

Aside from the succinct character drawing of the entertainment, the evening will be highly enjoyable because of the novelty of the program. Although only one actor occupies the stage, which will be devoid of pro-

